

ALEX JUST

for Farnham & Bordon

**I'm Alex Just,
your local
candidate
standing to be
your next MP.**

I live in Farnham with my wife and three young children.

I offer a new approach. I am a barrister not a career politician – this is the first time I have run for public office.

After 14 years of the Conservatives and Lib Dems failing on so many of the big decisions, I cannot sit on the sidelines – there is too much we need to fix.

The country and our local area needs a fresh start. I have the energy, ideas, and experience to get things done.

I am asking for your vote at the General Election because I want to serve our community and bring integrity, honesty, and courtesy back into politics.

And, I can win here! The Sunday Times/Survation 'Spring Megapoll' shows Labour are just 4% behind the Tories, and 5% ahead of the Lib Dems in Farnham and Bordon.

Do get in touch if you have any questions or would like me to come and talk to you and your neighbours.

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**Read on to
find out:**



**My top 5 priorities to
improve our area**



**3 personal
commitments I will
never break**



**How you can join
our campaign to
bring about real
change**



Labour

**CHOOSE CHANGE, CHOOSE LOCAL
JUST VOTE ALEX JUST!**

What I will do



Don't Lose Your Voice

The more of us that vote,
the more we can achieve.

The general election will take
place this year and you can
elect an MP who you think
will put your local community
first.

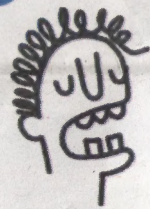
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to vote:
www.gov.uk/register-to-vote



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Fix the NHS so people get the appointments and treatment they need

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Number 1 cause of hospital
admissions for children
between 6 and 10 years old:

TOOTH DECAY

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**Pay NHS staff properly for overtime
to bust the backlog and recruit 8,500
extra mental health professionals to
drive down waiting lists.**

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**Deliver an extra 2 million operations,
scans, and appointments** in the first
year of a Labour government to get
patients diagnosed earlier.

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**Implement a national Dentistry Rescue
Plan with 700,000 extra appointments
each year** – vital for Farnham and
Bordon where NHS dentists aren't
accepting new patients.

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**Alex will fight to get the Bordon Health
Hub opened** as one of Labour's new
Neighbourhood Health Centres –
bringing family doctors, district nurses,
care workers, physiotherapists, and
mental health specialists under
one roof.



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Protect our local environment and turn on Great British Energy

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**Over 2,200
hours of
sewage** went
straight into
the River Wey in
2023.

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**Invest massively in home-grown
renewable energy**, using what Britain
has in abundance: wind and water.
Energy security will stop our energy bills
being at the mercy of foreign powers.

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**Introduce automatic and severe fines
for polluting water companies** and
block bonuses until water bosses have
cleaned up their filth.

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Ban new onshore gas drilling licences
– we can't let the Tories approve more
fossil fuel projects like Dunsfold which
threaten the Surrey Hills, particularly
when a Climate Emergency has
been declared by both Surrey and
Hampshire County Councils.

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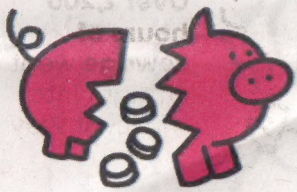
**Alex will oppose the expansion of
private jet flights at Farnborough
Airport.**



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Reboot our town centres and grow the local economy

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Average households will be £1,900 poorer at the end of this parliament than they were at the start.

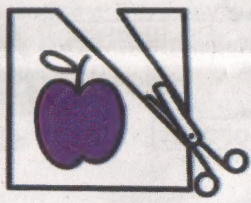
- ➔ **Give our local communities a Community Right to Buy** and councils new powers to get empty shops, pubs and community spaces back into use.
- ➔ **Scrap business rates** and replace them with a system which doesn't punish bricks and mortar businesses.
- ➔ **Reform planning rules and recruit hundreds of extra planners** to deliver the biggest boost to affordable housing in a generation while also enhancing local communities' power and voice over how housing is built to best service local people.
- ➔ **Kickstart a skills revolution** with a new generation of Technical Excellence Colleges, offering people in Farnham and Bordon more high quality apprenticeships and training opportunities tailored to local jobs.
- ➔ **Make work pay** by introducing a new deal for working people and delivering a genuine living wage, banning zero hours contracts and ending fire and rehire. Creating well-paid jobs across all parts of our community will make working people better off and more secure.



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Invest in young people

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The Conservative and Lib Dem cuts have slashed local school budgets by £6.5 million since 2010 - with several primary schools losing over £1,000 of funding per pupil.

- ➔ **Recruit 6,500 more teachers and employ mental health support staff in every school** to boost the wellbeing of young people, many of whom are still suffering the effects of lockdown.
- ➔ **Deliver free breakfast clubs in every primary school in Farnham and Bordon** so that no child starts the day hungry.
- ➔ **Open new Youth Futures hubs** to bring local services together and support teenagers at risk of being drawn into crime or facing mental health challenges.
- ➔ **Develop a curriculum that helps students develop creativity, digital and speaking skills.**
- ➔ **Alex will organise an annual FAB Debating Cup and run public speaking workshops in every primary and secondary school** in our new constituency.



Find out how much your local school has lost out because of the Conservative and Lib Dem education cuts.



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Make our streets safe again

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Today 82% of burglaries in Hampshire and Surrey are unsolved.

- ➔ **Guarantee town centre patrols** by putting 13,000 more neighbourhood police and PCSOs on the beat. Every community in Farnham and Bordon will have a named officer.
- ➔ **Tackle shoplifting gangs by ending the "£200 rule"** brought in by the Conservatives which stops thefts under £200 being investigated - even if the same gang comes back time and again.
- ➔ **Crack down on anti-social behaviour through tough new Respect Orders** with criminal sanctions for persistent anti-social behaviour.
- ➔ **Fast-Track the recruitment of specialist detectives** to increase the proportion of crimes solved with a dramatically larger pool of prosecutors to bring criminals to justice.

My three personal commitments:

1 Run an honest campaign

I promise to tell the truth, act with integrity and be courteous at all times.

Greg Stafford the Conservative Candidate set up a misleading petition asking you to stop a "proposed merger" between Waverley and Guildford Councils, which is not happening!

Khalil Yousuf and the Lib Dems are claiming Labour "can't win" in Farnham and Bordon by relying on data from a website run by a 22 year old student while ignoring respected polls in The Sunday Times that show Labour is only 4% from victory!

2 Keep it local

Farnham and Bordon is my home and it's the only place I want to represent as an MP.

The Conservative candidate asking for your vote has been a Councillor in Ealing for the last 16 years and ran to be an MP in Wales.

"I promise that as the MP for Cardiff Central that I will speak up for my constituents... and improve the lives of the people of Cardiff." (2017)

Greg Stafford, Conservative Candidate

The Lib Dem candidate ran in West Sussex at the last general election and promised to "work hard over the coming days, weeks, months, and years" for every person who voted for him in 2019.

"You shouldn't vote tactically, you should vote on the basis of your conscience... I promise that if we are elected we will make our country much better, and focus much more on Crawley." (2019)

Khalil Yousuf, Liberal Democrat Candidate

3 No costly second home

If elected as your MP, I will keep living in my family home in Farnham.

This means you won't have to pay the cost of me renting a house in London like many members of parliament do.

Colour in the Constituency!

Let your imagination run free and colour in our constituency, and some of Farnham and Bordon's landmarks.

Ask an adult to upload a picture to instagram tagging @LabourFab #FABplace2live, or drop it into Dylan's Ice Cream shop in Haslemere or The Shed, Bordon.

The best designs will be displayed at Dylan's Ice Cream shops!



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We're nearly there!

4%

That's how close we are to beating the Conservatives

SOURCE: Survation Poll in the Sunday Times (31st March 2024)

Join Team Just

Get in touch so if you want to join our grassroots campaign to give Farnham and Bordon a fresh start.

Change doesn't just happen by itself - we must do it together!

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